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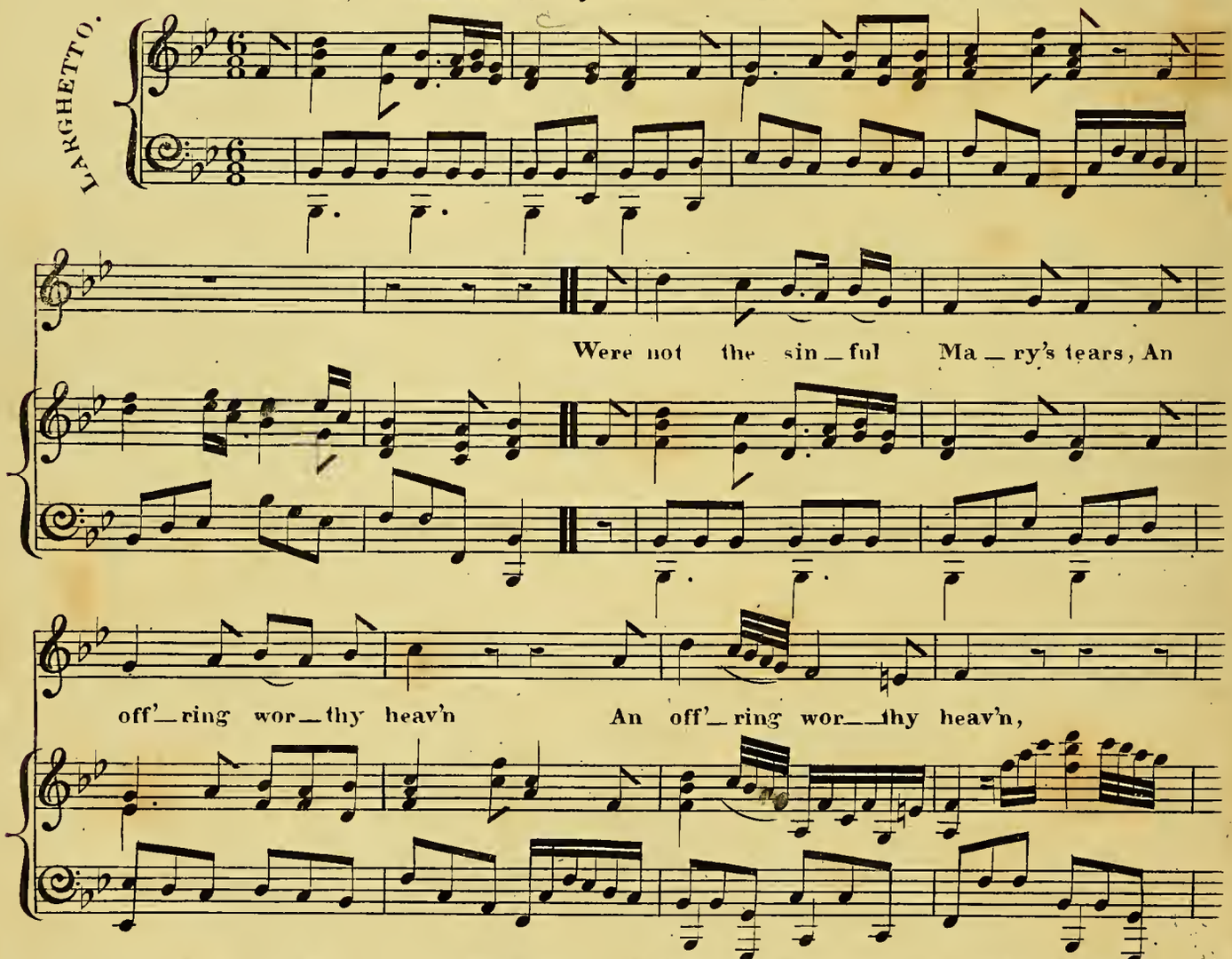
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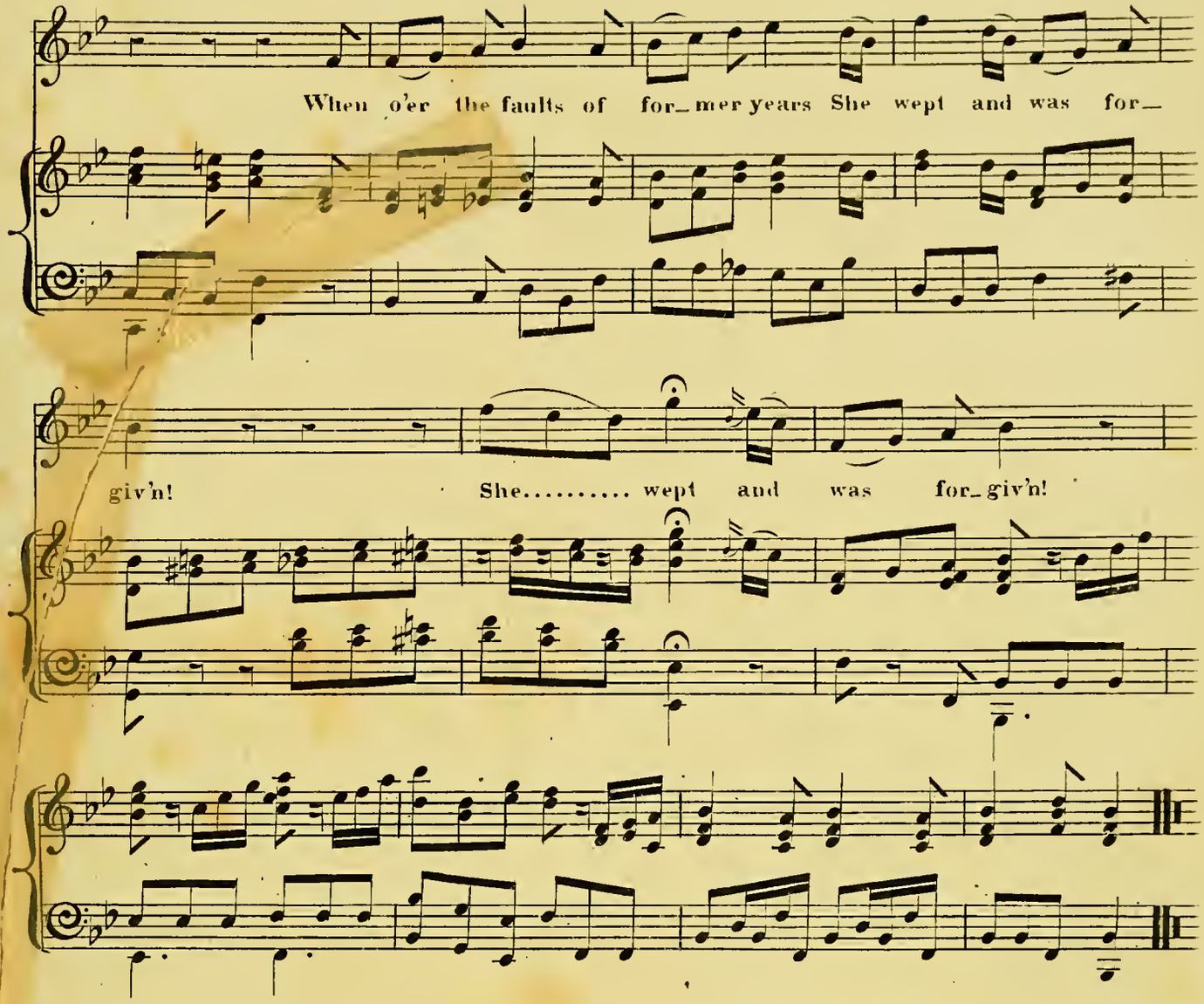
2.

When bringing every balmy sweet
Her day of luxury stored,
She o'er her Saviour's hallowed feet
The precious perfume poured,—

3.

And wip'd them with that golden hair,
Where once the diamond shone,
Though now those gems of grief were there
Which shine for God alone!

4.

Thou that hast slept in error's sleep,
Oh! would'st thou wake in heaven,
Like Mary kneel, like Mary weep,
"Love much," and be forgiven!

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